Why

The formula to calculate a temperature in Fahrenheit if we have the temperature in

Celsius: $C = \frac{5}{9} (F - 32)$

For example, if the temperature was 100F, the temperature in Celsius would

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$$F = 32 + \frac{9}{5}C$$

How could we find a new formula that allows us to determine the temperature in Celsius given the temperature in Fahrenheit?

We will learn such skills.

We say that is the 'subject of the formula' because it appears on one side of the equation (usually the left) on its own.

Examples 1: Rearranging Formula

Make the subject of the following formula:

a) a)

b) b)

c) c)

Examples 2: Rearranging Formula

Make the subject of the following formula:

a) a)

b) b).

Advanced Examples 3: Rearranging Formula

a)

a)

b)

b)